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For: AUTOMATED TELEPHONE LINE TEST  
APPARATUS WITH INTELLIGENT  
DIAGNOSTIC FUNCTION

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**AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment is being filed in connection with a Request for Continued Examination that was filed on July 3, 2006, a revised copy of which is enclosed herein. Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.